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COHN learned from GRANELLO's close friends that it was their feeling that the latter was "hit" because he was making too many inquiries seeking the identity of the assailants of his son MICHAEL. COHN feels that LEVINE might know more about what was going on but that he would never divulge this information to the FBI. COHN feels that LEVINE would confide in him and whatever information he receives. he would make available to the NYO. COHN said that at this point he does not represent LEVINE, but that the latter wants him to represent him in his pending WPPDA matters. COHN said he has made no decision in this respect. indicated that his motives for cooperating with this Bureau was that he became quite friendly with GRANELLO and abhorred his violent death. He said that he had been contacted by the NYCPD, but that he would rather provide this information to COHN was told that the NYCPD had primary juristhe Bureau. diction in the murder and that the Bureau was cooperating with the PD and was disseminating all pertinent information. He voiced no objections to disseminating information to the PD that he might provide. COHN indicated that he would be in touch with the NYO, FBI, in the event any pertinent information comes to his attention.

It should be noted that ROY COHN requested that his identity be kept concealed, therefore, the results of the interview with him is being reported on the administrative page.

<u>INFORMANTS</u>

Source	Contacting Agent
NY T-1 NY 4346-C-TE	SA THOMAS DUFFIN
NY T-2 NY 7446-PC	SA PAUL J. STAPLETON
NY T-3 NY 5392-C	SA JOSEPH FANNING
NY T-4 NY 4346-C-TE	SA THOMAS DUFFIN

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Source	Contacting Agent
NY T-5 NY 4461-C	SA CHARLES G. DONNELLY
NY T-6 NY 3610-C-TE	SA CHARLES G. DONNELLY
NY T-7 NY 5924-PC	SA EUGENE FITZ P ATRICK
NY T-8 NY 6158-C-TE	SA MICHAEL POTKONJAK
NY T-9 NY 7446-PC	SA EDWARD J. DOHERTY

LEADS

BOSTON

AT PAWTUCKET, RHODE ISLAND. Will interview A. VITALE, who is reportedly connected with the Jet Travel Service and determine if he was with subject GRANELLO on the evening of 9/24/70, in Vincent's Clam Bar, NYC.

2. Will also identify DOLORES, the female who accompanied VITALE and who also was present at Vincent's, and interview her for any pertinent information.

CHICAGO

AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. CH Office is requested to furnish results of investigation requested by NY airtel, 11/4/70.

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On September 26, 1970, JIMMY "JUMPS", a close associate of GRANELLO, contacted source at the latter's place of business to pick up three pairs of slacks that GRANELLO had ordered from informant. The slacks were to be furnished to a doctor who was treating GRANELLO's brother. JIMMY "JUMPS" told source that SALLY had not been around for a couple of days but that he was not to say anything since he did not exactly know GRANELLO's whereabouts. Informant said that since Saturday he has had no contact with GRANELLO and does not know his present whereabouts. Informant said this is very unusual because SALLY is usually on the phone with him every day. Informant could furnish no information as to GRANELLO's present whereabouts and he feels certain that JIMMY "JUMPS" knows nothing of his whereabouts.

Informant said that on Wednesday night, September 23, 1970, GRANELLO called on him and invited him to have a drink at the Park Sheraton Lounge. When informant met with GRANELLO, he was accompanied by an individual named MIKE (Last name unknown) (INU) who informant described as being formerly connected with the Havana Race Track. Informant said that GRANELLO mentioned to him that that evening he was going out to the airport to pick up GEORGE LEVINE and inquired whether informant was interested in going along. Informant declined the invitation but understood that GRANELLO had the services of a limousine and chauffeur which he was using that night. The limousine and chauffeur reportedly was being provided by the Swing A Knit Corporation. The driver was a white male, husky build, with grey-black wayy hair, who was believed to be an old friend of GRANELLO.

Informant said that approximately two or three weeks ago, he was having dinner with his girlfriend at the Monsignore Restaurant, when by chance he bumped into CHARLIE TOURINE also known as (aka) Charlie White. He said that his commonlaw wife had known CHARLIE for a couple of years and had a conversation with CHARLIE concerning SALLY GRANELLO. CHARLIE TOURINE mentioned to informant's girlfriend that source should have nothing to do with GRANELLO, that under no circumstances should he lend him any money and that he gradually should break up their acquaintanceship. Informant said that his girlfriend does not particularly like GRANELLO and wanted to get some independent information about GRANELLO's status and how he was recruited by other mob members.